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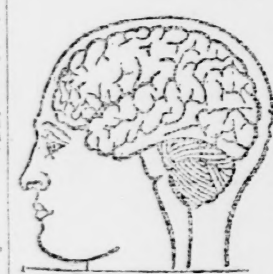
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me, but without benefiting me in the least. My nervous  
system seemed to be entirely shattered, and I constantly  
had very severe chills. In addition to this I  
would have vomiting spells, and there would be from fifteen to twenty days at a time  
that I could not retain anything on my stomach. Many consultations were held by  
physicians over my case, but they all agreed that I would never leave my bed. During the  
years I lay sick, my life had no calm physician from Dayton, Ohio, and two from  
Columbus, Ohio, to come and examine me. They all said I could not live. I got to having  
spells like spasms, and would lie cold and stiff for a time after each. At last I lost the  
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THURSDAY, SEPT. 6, 1894.

The New Zealand "Trade Re-  
view" gives some interesting details  
of the dairy industries in that  
colony as follows: "The colony may  
be now fairly said to be alive to  
the importance of this industry, and  
the number of factories is now on  
the rapid increase. The following  
is the number of factories and  
creameries existing in New Zealand  
at the present time:

Factories	Creameries	Total
North Island 70	40	110
South Island 43	20	63

The total is 173, against 104 in  
June, 1893, and 72 at the same  
time in 1892. Several more are  
in course of erection in both islands.

The Government is also in earnest  
in its efforts to encourage and pro-  
mote the industry. The number  
of instructors appointed by the  
Department has been increased from  
two to six, three of whom will work  
in each of the two islands.

"A bill to be promoted in Parlia-  
ment by the Government this session  
will provide for the erection of cool  
storage at the four chief ports of  
shipment. This is a most important  
step. It will also provide for a  
system of inspection and grading of  
butter before shipment. Dairy  
industries are being formed where  
none existed before, and the various  
associations in the two islands, while  
maintaining their separate organiza-  
tions, are combining their forces to  
take joint action for the common  
good of the trade in respect of such  
things as cool storage, rates of freight  
to England, proper care on the  
voyage, and so forth. Together  
with the recent agricultural returns,  
particulars were obtained of the  
number of cattle and breeding cows  
held in New Zealand. In 1886  
there were 279,186 breeding cows,  
in 1891 there were 289,711, in  
1893 there were 305,207, and in  
1894, 327,612. In 1893 the pro-  
portion of breeding cows to the  
whole number of cattle was fully  
37 per cent, whereas in 1886 it  
was under 33 per cent."

It seems probable that while  
Japan has, with no apparent effort,  
raised \$80,000,000 in subscriptions  
from her patriotic citizens for  
Government non-interest bearing  
securities, China will have some  
difficulty in raising money with  
which to carry on the war. The  
cable despatches announce that the  
attempt of the Chinese Government  
to float a loan of 1,000,000 taels,  
to be guaranteed by Chinese mer-  
chants, has proved a flat failure,  
and the conclusion is that the  
Chinese are not beginning the war  
with any patriotic enthusiasm.—  
The Mail.

A charge against the steward of  
a Charlottetown club for selling  
liquors contrary to the Scott Act,  
which is there in force, has been  
dismissed, the Court holding that  
the liquors used are the property  
of the members and their distri-  
bution in the club does not amount  
to a sale of them within the terms  
of the Act.

## COUNCIL MINUTES.

There was a meeting of the Coun-  
cil of the Municipality of South  
Qu'Appelle held in the Council  
Chamber on Monday, September  
3rd.

James Smith, chairman, and Coun-  
cillors Geo. Seaff, J. Caldwell, Jas.  
McLean and J. R. Bunn were present.  
The minutes of last meeting were  
read and confirmed.

A communication was read from  
G. S. Sparks, for Assistant Secretary  
of the Department of the Interior,  
re the lease of the Immigration  
Building. Also from G. S. Bul-  
trot re arrears of taxes on the S.E.  
quarter of Sec. 22, Tp. 19, Rge. 14.

Moved by J. Caldwell, seconded by  
J. R. Bunn, that the communication  
from the Department of the Interior  
be filed. Carried.

On motion of J. R. Bunn and J.  
McLean, the meeting adjourned  
until 1:30 p.m.

The meeting resumed pursuant to  
adjournment with James Smith in the  
chair. Members present: Caldwell,  
Bunn, McLean, Raymond, Vickers and  
Seaff.

The report from the Treasurer was  
read, also a communication from  
Chas. Hammond & Nanton re arrears  
of taxes on the S.W. quarter of Sec.  
35, Tp. 19, Rge. 14. Also an account  
from A. Raymond for having a suit-  
able railing placed about the munici-  
pal scales.

Moved by J. R. Bunn, seconded by  
J. McLean, that the request of Chas.  
Hammond & Nanton, to have the  
interest on the taxes against the S.W.  
quarter of Sec. 35, Tp. 19, Rge. 14,  
for the years 1893-7-8 remitted, be  
not granted, and that the reason be  
explained to them. Carried.

The report from the Committee on  
Finance, Assessment and Safety was  
read as follows:—

"To the Municipal Council of  
South Qu'Appelle, Gentlemen,—Year  
Committee on F. A. & S. would report  
as follows:—The Treasurer reports  
as follows:

School District No. 39	\$ 15 33
School District No. 71	54 30
Statute Labor Fund	471 85
Special Rate for Ward 5	2 46
General Fund	1110 14

Total on hand \$1654 11

We would recommend the said re-  
port be filed.

We would also recommend that  
the following claims against the  
Municipality be paid:

A. Raymond, scales railing	\$16 00
Fred Bell, half year's salary	20 00
As Overseer of R.D. No. 3	
J. Duellie, three months' salary as Clerk and Inspector	37 50
J. R. Brown, Noxious Weed Inspector	10 05

All of which is respectfully sub-  
mitted.

(Sd.) John Caldwell,  
Chairman.

Moved by J. Caldwell, seconded by  
G. Seaff, that the finance report as  
read be received, and the recommenda-  
tions be concurred in, and that the  
Chairman and Clerk issue cheques in  
payment of the several amounts  
Carried.

Moved by J. Caldwell, seconded by  
J. R. Bunn, that the Clerk advertise  
or apply for a collector at a  
salary of \$60, applicant to name two  
sureties for \$1000 each, to be ap-  
proved by the Council. Carried.

Moved by J. Caldwell, seconded by  
J. McLean, that John McLeiz have the  
use of a scraper for two weeks by  
giving the Clerk a receipt for the  
same. Carried.

Moved by J. Caldwell, seconded by  
W. Vickers, that the Chairman and  
Clerk issue a cheque in favor of Coun-  
cillor J. R. Bunn for \$5.00 for his  
expenses in attending the Legislative  
Assembly at Regina. Carried.

Moved by W. G. Vickers, seconded  
by J. McLean, that S. Gibson be  
allowed to perform the statute labor  
against Sec. 24, Tp. 19, Rge. 14 in  
Hart District No. 2 for this year.  
Carried.

Moved by J. Caldwell, seconded by  
W. G. Vickers, that the communica-  
tion of Benj. Rogers re statute labor  
against Sec. 4, Tp. 20, Rge. 15, be  
referred to the Road and Bridge  
Committee. Carried.

A by-law rescinding clause 1 in By-  
law No. 292 was read, passed, and  
numbered 209.

Moved by J. Caldwell, seconded by  
J. McLean, that whereas the object  
of the Municipal Convention held at  
Indian Head was for the express pur-  
pose of devising means of reducing  
the cost of municipal government,  
and whereas the said convention fully  
considered all questions which were  
thought to be of importance by those  
working under and thoroughly con-  
versant with the municipal law; and  
whereas we believe the proposed  
changes of abolishing the ward  
system and electing a mayor by popular  
vote, unasked for by the convention,  
will result in making the municipal  
system more expensive than before, and  
whereas there has not come under  
our notice any grievance resulting  
from the ward system and the present  
mode of electing the presiding officer  
of the Council; therefore be it re-  
solved, that in the opinion of this  
Council the proposed changes afore-  
mentioned would result in an ad-  
ditional expense to the Municipality  
of probably \$125 per annum, from  
which no benefit would be derived.

which, in the present destitute state  
of some of the ratepayers, is a matter  
of very great importance, and that a  
copy of this resolution be forwarded  
by the Clerk to G. S. Davidson,  
M.L.A., chairman of the Municipal  
Committee, to be submitted by him to  
the Committee and the Assembly.  
Carried.

Council adjourned.

## QU'APPELLE BOARD OF TRADE

A meeting of the Qu'Appelle Board  
of Trade was held at the Queen's  
Hotel on Thursday evening, the 30th  
ult. J. P. Beauchamp, president, oc-  
cupied the chair, and there were  
present Dr. Cartwright, F. Bell, G. H.  
V. Bulyea, J. Cowan, G. MacGurk,  
Dr. Chas. J. H. MacCauley, A. D.  
Dickson, A. McKenzie, J. McLean,  
together with W. H. B. and A. H.  
B. Seaff from the Agricultural  
Society.

The object of the meeting was the  
consideration of the question of the  
proposed Government creamery, and  
after some discussion Mr. MacCauley  
made the following motion, seconded  
by Mr. Bulyea:—

"That in the opinion of this Board  
the interests of Mr. S. H. Caswell are  
entitled to every consideration in the  
matter of obtaining a Government  
creamery at this point, and that be-  
fore any further steps are taken a copy  
of this resolution be forwarded to Mr.  
Caswell, with the request that he  
meet the following committee of this  
Board to discuss the question with  
them, and that the committee consist  
of J. Cowan, G. H. V. Bulyea and  
the mover."

The motion carried.

A communication was read from  
the Committee on Deep Water Ways,  
and the Secretary was instructed to  
reply to the same.

The meeting then adjourned to  
Tuesday evening to see if the com-  
mittee report.

At an adjourned meeting of the  
Board of Trade in the Queen's Hotel,  
on Tuesday night, the committee ap-  
pointed at the previous meeting to  
wait on Mr. Caswell reported that Mr.  
Caswell was willing either to sell or  
rent his creamery, but preferred sell-  
ing. After some discussion, Mr.  
Bulyea was requested to interview  
Senator Parley at Regina, and request  
him to remain off at Qu'Appelle on  
his way east, in order that he may  
be consulted on the matter.

## WINNIEP MARKET.

(FROM THE WINNIEP COMMERCIAL.)  
Wheat.—The markets have been quiet  
this week and the tendency in prices has  
been generally lower. The visible supply  
statement on Monday showed an increase of  
571,000 bushels, which was smaller than  
was expected. The beginning of the move-  
ment in corn wheat has stirred up the  
interest in the situation in Manitoba markets.  
We quote No. 1 Hard at 88 to 90c. per  
bushel, delivered at Fort William, and  
new wheat about 57c. Flour.—We quote  
No. 1 best, delivered in the city  
mechanical at \$1.00. Patents, \$1.25.  
Strong Bakers, \$1.45, with some brands  
quoted the higher. Low grades, 75c. to  
\$1.00 as to quality. Prices per bushel of 56  
pounds. Oats.—The feeling is easier. Car  
loads have been ordered on track here at 30c.  
per bushel of 56 pounds for old oats. A few  
cads of new oats have been marketed by  
farmers, at about 25 to 26c. in country  
markets, for local demand at the country  
markets. Barley.—No business reported  
in this grain. Feed stuff.—Locally scarce.  
A good price could be obtained for a small  
quantity. Wheat for children feed has  
brought the comparatively high price of 25c.,  
at which price it has sold in lots of 50 to 100  
bushels. But with new wheat now moving  
the price will be lower. Butter.—The mar-  
ket is slow and dull. We quote No. 1  
small lots 13 to 14c. for selected dairy and  
round lots at 10 to 12c. per pound for fairly  
good quality. Cheese.—The market is firm.  
Good late cheese is held at 9 to 9 1/2c., and  
others are selling at 10 to 10 1/2c. per pound.  
Eggs.—There has been a further decline in  
price. A round lot of 500, and 10c. for  
good quality, with case lots at 10 to 11c.  
for small lots. Dressed meats.—Most of the  
best is selling now at 5c. per lb. for good  
quality, though 2 to 3c. higher is  
obtained for fancy cuts. We quote 5 to  
5 1/2c. for beef, 5 to 5 1/2c. for country  
dressed, with city dressed selling at 6c.  
Mutton, 8c. lamb, 10c. Veal, 10c. at about  
6c. Poultry.—Prices are 15c. for broilers  
dressed, or 10c. per pound live weight.  
Ducks about 90c. per pair or 10c. per pound  
live weight. Chickens, 45 to 50c







## A MIDNIGHT ALARM.

By MRS. J. H. BARTON.

The first time I saw Mr. Westcott of Edgfield I thought I did. I was there from a distance, and he was married until the catastrophe was broken up. And before that I had known each other as girls, though, of course, were very different.

So was just twenty-one when she was married, and I was about a year older, and as expected just then to be at home, it was as good as possible to have me. It was not until she had made a good name as Mr. Richard Westcott was supposed to be very well-to-do. At any rate, he was a rich man, and his money was not to be counted on in the most expensive.

For the first two years I acted as Mrs. Westcott's maid, and then, when the first baby was born, I was made nurse. For the first three years things went on all right, with plenty of fine parties and an open house to all comers, and suddenly a crash came, and it was found that Mr. Richard Westcott was a bankrupt as rich as he had made people believe.

He had deceived his own wife as much as anybody, and it was a terrible blow to her. As soon as she discovered how she had been deceived, she set to work to straighten things up as much as she was able. She was a little woman, and quiet, too, in her way, but she had the spirit and fire of fifty. She was a gentle as she seemed. She hated a poor man more than a poor woman. She could wear a poor wrapper and look a lady in it—say, and was willing, too, so that they could pay for it honestly—but to be dressed in the old-fashioned, and one people money was as good as dead.

Her first stroke was in housekeeping. Three servants out of the five were at once dismissed. She kept her maid and cook; and as all the company they used to see kept far enough away, now that the junketing was over, she could manage the work easily enough.

Week in, week out, no one came to the house except Mr. George Westcott, Mr. Westcott's uncle. He was an old bachelor, very rich, and very queer in his ways. He was a wonderfully outspoken old man, too. One day the nephew was when he was asking him to help him, for he broke out, right before me.

"Look here, Dick," says he, "I won't either give you a dollar or lend you a dollar. When I die your boy will get all I own, but till then I won't part with a dollar, so I left him alone."

A neighbor turned as red as fire, and went straight out of the room. Old Mr. Westcott's fancy was to collect diamonds, and in that way he was odd as anything else. Instead of having them set and shown, he had them set in a box, and they looked like rough pieces of stone. He was seen him showing them to Mrs. Westcott, and saying they were worth thousands of dollars, when all the while they didn't look worth their weight in iron.

He lived about five miles distant, and was intended to be away from home, and would bring over a big leather case in which he kept these diamonds, and leave them in his nephew's care. This made Mrs. Westcott very uneasy, and two or three times she urged him to put them in the bank at Oxford, where they would be safe. However, he wouldn't hear of such a thing, and as they didn't want to offend him, they let him have his own way.

A neighborly well, it was about a week before Christmas when he drove over and left this case with them as usual, as he was on a trip to Europe.

It could not be Mr. Westcott, for there was no door there. Who was it? If I live to be a hundred I shall never forget that moment. I felt sick with fright.

"The diamonds," I said to myself, "the diamonds." I knew they were in the house. I was so silly with fear that I hardly knew what I was doing, and I must have said "The diamonds" aloud, for my mistress said, sharply:

"Be quiet, Jane." We strained our ears again. Whoever it was they were trying the window which he had found unfastened. "There is some one trying to break into the house, Jane," said my mistress, as coolly as if it were quite the regular thing. As soon as her first start was over she was as calm as possible.

"Yes," said I, for I didn't know what to say. The baby woke again and began to whimper. She took him up in her arms, laying her cheek down to his and quieting him.

Then she carried him up and down the room, listening with all her might. "Crash!" My heart leaped into my mouth. The sound below was the regular thing, so that the catch might be reached from the outside.

It was certainly some one very well acquainted with the state of the house at the time, for the lamps were burning as brightly in the hall as if the whole household were at home and asleep.

When my mistress heard the noise of the glass, she stopped her walk and laid the baby again in his crib. With a wail, she went out, and I followed to the door. I saw her go to a spare room at the other end of the corridor, where Mr. Richard kept his guns and fishing-rods and such like.

She was back in a moment with a rifle and a box of the little cartridges, and put them in them. She knew what to do with it, too. She opened it in the middle, as I've seen gentlemen do many a time, slipped in one of the cartridges, and clicked it to.

"Then she stood to look them, ma'am?" said I. She turned on me as short as could be. "Why not?" says she, as fierce as possible. "What's my baby doing to these villains? Shouldn't he be disturbed, perhaps, kill him? They came here of their own accord, and they must take the consequences."

While this was going on, the window below had been pushed wide open, and in another instant footsteps were heard in the room beneath.

"Jane," said Mr. Westcott, "don't leave baby for a second." She gave him one kiss, caught up the gun, and went out. She had on soft bedroom slippers, which made no noise when she stepped on them. She had given me strict orders to stop in the nursery, yet I couldn't help following her to see what would happen. I crept across the landing, and looked over the stair-rail. It was quite plain at once what her plan was.

## OVER NORTH-WEST FORESTS.

They are to be Reserved as a Source of Fuel and Timber Supply to the Settlers.

The Dominion Government has at last stepped in to save some of the scant timber of Manitoba from the wasteful area of the settler and the lumberman. It has withdrawn from settlement all unoccupied wooded lands west of Red River. Henceforth the forests on them are to be reserved as a source of fuel and timber supply to the settlers, whose permits will entitle them to take only dry and fallen trees. The deforesting of Manitoba and the North-West has proceeded rapidly since the opening up of the country. These forests had not to be got rid of to make room for farms, as in Ontario, but they had to be drawn on for fuel, lumber, rails, etc., and the lumbermen and settlers little recked what became of the timber belts after present urgent needs were satisfied. A permit to take timber seemed to be regarded as a license to make as much havoc as possible among the growing trees on Crown lands. Settlers from the Western provinces, where within their own memory timber was treated as a thing that merely

was probably more extravagant of the North-West's wood resources than settlers from the Old Country. Before Manitoba was opened up to settlement we in this province had come to regard the forests as something to be destroyed. Our experience should have warned the Government to reserve the wooded areas of the new country. Several of these areas are broken up by land grants to the railway companies. To get back these sections and restore the solid wooded blocks the Crown would now have to pay the railway companies' price, which is not likely to be a low one. The roads are no doubt good enough to help irrigation schemes, but more irrigation will be necessary in the future if the country's forests are swept away. It is possible that the corporations holding land grants in the wooded tracts may perceive it to be in their own interest to co-operate with the Government for the preservation and extension of these tracts. If so, it will be easy for the Government to carry out its new forest policy in the North-West as well as in Manitoba. With all the difficulties that may be in the way, it is worth saving and enlarging a forest than first to clear it away and replace it by a new one. In some of the North-Western States, notably in Dakota, the greatest encouragement is given to tree planting by both the State and Federal Governments, but the treeless area remains treeless, despite the liberal bounties and land grants for reforestation. Consequently Dakota agriculture declines, in the North-West.

THE FIELDS NEED FORESTS. To protect them from winds which are cold and drying. Forests are needed also as a cover to the sources of moisture. The North-West is cut off by the Rocky mountains from the moisture-laden winds of the Pacific, and is too far away from the great lakes to receive any of their aqueous vapour. The country requires a circulation of its own. Forests are needed to keep the reversed moisture that is blown from the country rainfall. If there had been forests in the West, there would have been no need of irrigation works there. Little of the forest is cleared away to reclaim the land for agriculture, a great part of the wooded lands would be so much more suitable for farming if they were cleared than they are now. Settlers, however, prefer to take homesteads near a body of water, which they can go to for fuel, rails, and building material. The dry wood will probably accumulate fast enough for these purposes, and its removal will keep the forests protected from another destroyer, that is, fire. For some weeks prairie fires have been frequent in the autumn, and in some of the wooded areas of the North-West, where they have entered the timber reserves and done great destruction. In a country whose winters are cold and whose wood is scarce, it would seem that the settlers could be trained to economize their fuel and cultivate their soil, but even the laws relating to prairie fires appear to be disregarded. This is the fault of their not being strictly enforced.

ONE OF CHINA'S CITIES. Canton, Where the Plague Comes From, and It Is Not Surprising. A line or two from Mrs. Archibald Dunn's new book gives a striking picture of the horrors of life in Canton. "The circumference of the city walls measures from six to seven miles, and within their inclosure there exist 1,000,000 Chinese people. I had been in many oriental cities and had met many oriental cities, but those of Canton," says Mrs. Dunn, "were quite new to me. The passage-like streets are very narrow, and every description of refuse being cast into them and forming continuous heaps on either side of the way. The water supply is raised from wells in the streets, the mouths of which are on a level with the ground, and in the rainy season, or drippings from the buckets in which they lift it must carry back the surrounding filth in a way horrible to think of. Through miles and miles of these filth, narrow alleys and streets, through the wet, stinking atmosphere that human lungs could cope with, through the most evil and noxious odors that could assail human nostrils, past the most loathsome sights in the shape of abnormal human beings—lunatics, madmen, and demented and dressed ready for cooking; rats, both dried and hanging alive by the tails; frogs and unnatural-looking fish in tubs of water, alive, and awaiting death and consumption."

A Duchess With 101 Descendants. Queen Victoria's fifty-six living descendants are cast in the shade by the remarkable family of the Dowager-Duchess of Abercorn. A fortnight ago this venerable lady saw 101 of her descendants assembled at one time and in one place. It was at Montagu House, Whitehall, London, the residence of the duke of Buccleuch, where the interesting ceremony took place in commemoration of the Dowager-Duchess' eighty-second birthday. To celebrate that event, the pretty lady had been acted on that all her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren—101 persons ranging in age from 60 years to 4 months—should assemble there while at school, that she was sure would arrange her uncle's return for her when she asked him. The letter reached the Emperor, and eventually arrived at the War Office, with instructions attached to it. Eight days later the Emperor's kind words came that he might either postpone his military duties entirely until next year, or receive permission to spend some days in his native village.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST ABOUT THE BUSY YANKEE.

Neighboring Interest in His Delays—Matters of Moment and Mirth Gathered From His Daily Record. American railroads have an aggregated bonded debt of \$5,405,019,969. Complete lines of railroad were finished between the Atlantic and Pacific oceans in 1899. General Fitzjohn Porter has been appointed cashier of the New York post-office, at a salary of \$2,900 a year. An interesting development of the trolley business in New York City is the custom of chartering cars for excursion parties. Douglas Tilden, the famous deaf and dumb inventor, has been elected to his California home from an extended stay in Paris. It is stated that the cigarette is responsible for nearly two-thirds of the rejected applicants at West Point and Annapolis. Lewis Miller, President of the International Association of Sunday School Workers, is the father-in-law of Thomas A. Edison. Daniel K. Bolnap, the Erie Railway station agent at Horsham, N. Y., has been continuously in the service of the company for forty years. Ex-Governor St. John, of Kansas, is to become the general manager of the total assistance department of a life insurance company in New York. Buford Samuel, assistant librarian of a Philadelphia library, can recall instantly the title and location on the shelves of any book mentioned among 110,000 volumes. James N. Scott, who has recently been made chief clerk for Kentucky, Tennessee, and just 30 and is the youngest man ever appointed to such an office. John Tyler, jr., son of a former president of the United States, still lives in an unpretentious house in New York, passing his declining days in poverty and paralysis pain. R. H. Moore, of Wellsboro, Pa., who has passed his 114th year, climbed up the 228 winding steps in the lighthouse in Atlantic City, and kept on without rest from start to finish. Miss Mary Cornelius, of Freeport, N. Y., has been secretly married to John Mackey, her hired man, and the ceremony was held in a barn. Mackey is 30 years old, and Mackey's senior. Some one has figured that there are no more railway lines, steam, elevated, cable and horse cars in New York city that a person may ride for six hours at a total cost of 50 cents. Rev. Thomas Dixon, in a sermon in New York recently, expressed his opinion that another strike is coming in the near future which will affect every industry and paralyze the world.

President Angell, of the Boston Humane Society, says that Professor Louis Agassiz, the greatest scientist on the American continent, was a firm believer in the immortality of dumb animals. The proprietor of the Parker House, Boston, in forty-six years paid to one market in that city \$4,188,999 for provisions. The first of the first called New Hampshire is that only \$100,000 worth of beans. Clifford Breckinridge, of Arkansas, whom President Cleveland has appointed Minister to Russia, once declined to fight a duel on the ground that he was then studying for the Presbyterian ministry. John Dabell, who has been elected constable of Brighton, Mass., is a colored man who runs a boot-blacking kiosk and was put up for fun, but he will draw \$2,500 a year just the same. New Hampshire was formerly called Lania. It received its present name in 1876, the first called New Hampshire by Captain John Mason, who had been a resident of Hampshire, England. Prince Cantacuzene, the new Russian Minister to Washington, is an inveterate traveller and chess player. He carries a pocket board with him and is always ready to accept a challenge to make a move. Mr. Clarence R. Greathouse, formerly of San Francisco, was appointed Consul-General to Corea by President Cleveland in 1885. He has never been back and is now Postmaster General of Corea. Receivers have been appointed during the month of August to manage the United States railway companies owning 2,983 miles of road, and representing stocks and bonds to the amount of \$260,101,000. Justice Lippincott, of the New Jersey Supreme Court, has decided that a man born in the United States is an alien if his father was foreign born, and was not naturalized at the time of the birth of his son. A family of five kittens at Rome, Ga., was adopted by a hen, and in spite of every effort to prevent the strange alliance the hen persisted in her attentions until the kittens were removed beyond her reach. The total value of produce raised on the farms of the United States is \$3,700,000,000; of this the people of the United States themselves consume \$3,300,000,000 worth, and ship abroad \$500,000,000 worth. Secretary Carlisle stated in Washington that from October, 1893, to June 30, 1904, he had 7,771 letters sent him through Canada, whereas the number had previously ranged from 40,000 to 50,000 annually. A Boston lady has embarked in a multi-farious occupation. In the four corners of her cards are inscribed "Collector of insurance," "Kitchen manager," "Kaiser's costs and clocks to measure," "Bicycles to order, any style."

Within the last six years the annual production of beet sugar in the States has increased from 500,000 to 45,000,000 pounds. California growers place the value of the crop at \$65 to \$125 an acre, and the cost of production at \$17 an acre. There is a model but well-equipped arsenal at the Grand Central Station in New York city ready for use in any sudden emergency, and probably sufficient to protect and overpower until the police or militia could be brought to the scene. John I. Blair made the first few dollars of his fortune of \$20,000,000 by trapping muskrats and rabbits and selling their skins. He became a clerk in a country store at the age of ten and at sixteen he had a store of his own, with a cash capital of \$500 and a good commercial reputation. A conductor on a Patterson, N.J., trolley car has given up his position because he is short of stature. He was of such a small height that when he wanted to ring the bell he had to jump for the bell cord, and the remarks of passengers were so insulting that he was forced to resign. At the close of the war, less than thirty years ago, the Methodist Episcopal Church numbered 1,000,000 members, owned 10,000 churches and 3,300 parsonages, worth in the aggregate \$24,000,000. It has now 2,500,000 members, and owns over 24,000 churches and nearly 10,000 parsonages, worth in the aggregate about \$125,000,000.

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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent post-paid, on receipt of price (50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50), by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont., or Schenectady, N. Y. LUNACY IN ENGLAND IS INCREASING. Report of Commissioners Shows a Large Total of Afflicted Persons. The forty-eighth report of the English commissioners in lunacy, recently made public, is not pleasant reading. It is, to say the least of it, distressing intelligence to be officially informed that at the commencement of the present year there were in our midst 92,967 lunatics, idiots, and persons of unsound mind, a number 2,247 in excess of the returns of the previous year, and making the largest total of those afflicted in this way as yet officially recorded. The increase is reported to have been fairly general throughout England and Wales, though what is known as the county of London is shown to be providing for 8,800 more pauper lunatics than were accommodated during the previous year. The gravity of this announcement is, to a certain extent, discounted when the corresponding increase in the population is compared with the year under notice, as compared with one in 331 during the previous year. It would, however, have been far more satisfactory had it been possible to record even the slightest decrease. What can be the reason for the increase? Is it the Primrose League, the Jaber Balfour swindles, the weather, or the nonconformist conscience?

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## Town & Country Callings.

—Mr. W. Henley has completed his threshing.

—The herd law will cease on the 20th inst.

—Dr. Hunt, Indian Head, was in town on Saturday.

—The new C.P.R. time table took effect on Monday morning.

—Sir Adam Ellis, Chief Justice of Jamaica, was burned to death.

—Mr. Jas. Scott arrived home from the east on Tuesday morning.

—The new C.P.R. station is now occupied, and business will be conducted there for the future.

—Inspector Brown, N.W.M.P., was in town on Saturday on a tour of inspection of the various posts.

—Mr. Lincham, M.L.A., was a guest of Mr. G. S. Davidson from Saturday night to Monday morning.

—It is proposed that ex-Pullman employees should start opposition work in Kansas on the co-operative plan.

—Dr. Carthew and Henderson went to Regina on Thursday night to attend the North-West Medical Conference.

—Mr. J. B. Davis, and family, McLean Station, purpose moving east to Norman in about three weeks' time.

—Who is the party who, while having a quarrel with a man, lost his horse and afterwards found it in a wire fence?

—Mrs. Longpre returned from Walsley on Sunday last, and was accompanied by Mrs. D. H. Thierion, of Brandon, who purposes spending some time in Qu'Appelle.

—Judge Richardson and T. C. Johnston, Regina, arrived in town on Tuesday morning on their way to Fort Qu'Appelle, to hold a meeting of the Supreme Court at that place.

—To those of our subscribers who, owing to the hard times, find it inconvenient to pay their subscriptions in cash, we wish to say that we are prepared to take a limited amount of good sound firewood in payment of their subscriptions.

—Floods in Texas have submerged a large area of country. Many people have been drowned and thousands of cattle and horses lost. Crops are ruined, railways washed out, bridges and buildings carried away, and whole villages devastated.

—Mr. R. Bourne, Springfield, who met with such a severe accident the week before last, succumbed to his injuries on Friday last. By his death the district loses an enterprising and pushing farmer. The funeral took place on Sunday, and was largely attended, about fifty vases being present.

—An interesting event took place on Aug. 31st at Indian Head, i.e., the marriage by the Rev. G. F. McCullagh of Mr. Charles R. Babbitt and Miss Mary S. Grieve, both of Qu'Appelle Station. We have no doubt that their many friends will unite with us in our congratulations and good wishes for their future happiness.

—Wagoner's Guide for September is out and is particularly welcome, as furnishing detailed information of the new C.P.R. time cards and changes in mail service, new post offices, etc. The sailings of Atlantic, Pacific and lake boats are given, and the usual business tables comprise numerous changes of more or less importance.

—What might have been a more serious accident happened on Friday night to Mr. Milne's two sons, when engaged loading cartridges. The elder boy had put the charge of powder in the empty cartridge case, and being of the opinion that the cap was not driven far enough in, hit it a blow with a hammer. The result was rather different to what he expected, as the cartridge exploded in his hand, also exploding a one pound canister of powder, and demolishing the lamp. Both boys are rather badly scorched, more particularly the eldest boy, whose eyes are badly swollen. No serious consequences are apprehended.

—The New York illustrated papers had special representatives with cameras on board the Vigilant during her races with the Britannia, and while they succeeded in getting some pictures showing the Vigilant's deck while the Britannia was "passing the Britannia," they have not succeeded in getting any pictures of any part of either the Vigilant or Britannia while the Britannia was passing the Vigilant, which is very funny when one comes to think of it. The races have not furnished as much satisfactory material for publication in American papers as those papers expected when they sent out their special artists and special representatives, and promised their readers fully illustrated accounts of each contest, which have never appeared.

—Mr. LeJeune, banker, Regina, was in town on Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Pike left on Monday night on a trip to Old Ireland.

—Messrs. Cowan & Edwards are shipping a lot of cord wood to Moose Jaw.

—Mr. J. Wood, nephew of Mr. Jas. Pike, has obtained a position in Caswell's store.

—Mr. B. Swears and family will leave next week, and take up their abode at Manitow, Man.

—Mrs. D. L. Scott, Mrs. Andros and Miss McDonald left on Wednesday morning on a visit to Deep Lake.

—To get an idea of the number of cattle slaughtered in this vicinity it was only necessary to see the pile of hides on the station platform on Wednesday.

—Const. Thornton, Fort Qu'Appelle, arrived in town on Wednesday with Chief Gordon, of Gordon's Reserve, in charge, who is accused of horse stealing.

—The election case, Turner vs. Kearns, was tried on Tuesday at Fort Qu'Appelle before Mr. Justice Richardson. Judgement to be delivered next Saturday.

—The foundation stone of the new vicarage was laid on Tuesday by Mrs. Sargent, wife of the incumbent, with brief ceremony. A copy of the Phoenix was deposited with the usual documents.

—Mr. Bonner took the first load of wheat of the season from Pleasant Forks to Simulata on Saturday last. It graded No. 1 extra, and Mr. Bonner will have between two and three thousand bushels as the result of his labors.

—Owing to the uncertainty of obtaining a train, the location of the C.P.R. picnic has not as yet been decided. There is, however, no doubt that should this difficulty be overcome, Qu'Appelle will be the favored place.

—Mr. J. H. MacCaul returned from a hunt on Wednesday morning with a trophy of the chase in the shape of a very fine wolf's head. Our local Nimrod has been following the trail of "his nibs" for some time, but was not able to get a close interview till yesterday near the farm of Mr. Herbert Boyce.

—There was a big turn out of sportsmen on Saturday morning last to take advantage of the first day of the shooting season for prairie chicken. Birds were plentiful and in good condition, but rather wild. Some good bags were made, and many who do not consider themselves crack shots returned with several brace of birds that had got in the line of fire.

### INDIAN HEAD.

Miss Ball, of Qu'Appelle Station, is visiting Mrs. Conn.

The first load of this seasons wheat was marketed Monday. Opening price 40 cents.

A baptismal service will be held in St. Chad's next Sunday. Nine infants are to be christened.

Pathmaster W. R. Boyd has been doing good and much needed work this season in travelling the main thoroughfare.

Work is progressing on the new block, but retarded occasionally by the non-delivery of sufficient brick to keep things moving.

A quiet wedding took place at the residence of Rev. G. F. McCullagh last Friday. The contracting parties were Mr. Chas. Babbitt and Miss Mary Grieve, both of Qu'Appelle.

The eleventh exhibition of the Indian Head Agricultural Society takes place Wednesday, Sept. 26th. The directors have offered the largest amounts and best attractions possible for the money available. Nearly every business man in Indian Head gives a special premium, the farmer is looked to for the rest.

Arrangements have been completed to hold a baseball tournament on the grounds of the Indian Head Baseball Club, Wednesday, Sept. 15th. The committee are sparing no effort to make the competition a success, and as it is open to all comers, teams may be expected all along the line from Grenfell to Moose Jaw. The opening game will commence at 9 o'clock a.m.

Hotel arrivals.—Commercial: A. Knowles, Niagara Falls; Francis Brant, Isa. Scur, H. Manday, Montmartre; J. Clementson, Broadview; G. D. Elliott, W. Martin, J. Cooper, L. Vollett, S. Hughes, Winnipeg; M. E. Brooks, Boston, Mass.; L. M. Graham, Kenilworth; R. Ashby, Virden; J. Donnelly, Manitow.

A general meeting of the Assiniboia Provincial Rifle Association was held in Regina Aug. 29th, at which Major Bell was elected president. Among the members of the Council the names of A. McKay, H. H. Campkin, S. R. Edwards and J. B. Swift appear. The following resolution was adopted at the meeting: "That the invitation of the Indian Head Rifle Association be accepted, and that the annual association matches be held this

year at Indian Head; that the president and members of the council resident at Indian Head be authorized to take the necessary steps for holding the matches."

Say! Do you remember suffering from cold feet last winter? Not while out driving or walking. One must expect that. I refer to the time when you were sitting beside the fire and might reasonably expect to keep warm were it not for draughts. Don't suffer again. Lay down some building paper, a second floor over the old one, and be comfortable. I will sell you the flooring or any other building material required.

A. W. SHERWOOD,  
Indian Head.

### LORLIE.

The weather has been warm of late—36 in the shade.

Boyd Bros. steam thrasher is busy separating the wheat from the chaff, with Mr. J. Morison as engine driver.

Judging by the recent budget that the local correspondent sent to the Toronto Sun, he would make a good editor for some farm journal.

Bray & Co. have disposed of the balance of their old stock to the Pleasant Forks merchants.

Mr. P. Slater returned Saturday from a month's visit to his brother at Beaver Hills.

There are indications of a general store being opened here after the return of Mr. D. J. Canton from Toronto.

Miss May Aldour, who has been on a short visit to her friends at Park Farm, returned Sunday afternoon.

A banner was floating in the breeze, as mail men, over Her Majesty's Post Office on Sunday afternoon.

### SPENCERVILLE.

Mr. Jas. Pike left last Sunday for Ireland. He will also stay in Toronto for a short while.

Mr. Watson has been seriously ill, but we are pleased to learn is rapidly recovering.

A party will probably take place at the House of Lords this week.

Mr. T. Montgomery has decided to leave us. He will go to a land where he will not be troubled with the mosquitoes in the summer and the frost in the winter.

The Misses McMichael have returned from Regina.

Mr. J. Plant passed through here last week. Jack looks hale and hearty.

A number of our people drove to Qu'Appelle on Sunday evening. They must have done very reckless driving. Result: a number of broken rigs, but occupants turned up all composed next morning.

Mr. Sam Bailey gave Spencerville a call the other day.

Mr. W. Chapman has left his farm, and is at present busy threshing.

### NOTES BY THE WAY.

As the time is fast approaching when Jack Frost will remind us that all garden crops should be got up, I will now go more fully into the making of a garden which I mentioned in my notes a week back. Having settled upon a spot for the garden, the next thing will be to prepare the ground. This may be done by ploughing and harrowing, then all stones and roots should be carefully cleared away till the surface is perfectly clean. After this a double ploughing should be done, that is to say ploughing twice in the same place, putting the plough in deeper the second time and so moving the soil a foot deep at least. After these operations have been carried out, there will be the basis of a good garden. But there is yet a far better plan, though the work is much more laborious to the man, but the result will be infinitely more satisfactory, and this is to trench the ground, which is accomplished in the following manner: at one end of the piece of ground intended for the garden, you make with a spade a trench all along, two feet wide and two feet deep, throwing the soil out on the side away from the garden that is to be, making the sides of the trench as nearly perpendicular as possible. In this way you have a clean open trench running all along one end of your garden ground. You then dig another piece all along, two feet wide and two feet deep, putting the soil that the second trench contains into the one first made, taking the top of the second trench all along first and turning that top down into the trench, taking the remainder of the soil and placing it on top of that just thrown in, and so you will have another trench two feet wide and two feet deep, and in this way you proceed until the whole piece of ground is trenched. The soil taken out to form the first trench should be used to fill up the last one. Now, although this may appear to many people to be too much like work, I can assure them from personal experience that the after results in the quantity and

quality of the crops grown in ground treated as I have described is simply astonishing, and garden ground so made will tell a pleasing tale, not for a year or two only, but for generations. The reason for this is not far to seek. Most gardens are just ploughed and harrowed, the greatest depth to which the soil is moved being six or seven inches. A long dry season, such as we have had this year, will effectually dry out such a shallow bed, and the roots of the crops upon it perish, but where the ground has been thoroughly moved to the depth that trenching produces, the roots find their way down into moist congenial soil where drought cannot reach them, and the plants flourish in spite of a protracted rainless season. Those persons who are sceptical upon this point should try a rod or so of their garden and mark the difference in the growth of vegetation to that of the adjacent ground that has not been trenched. Putting frost out of the question, ground that has been trenched, and has well rotted manure dug or forked in once a year, spring or fall, will be equal to any emergency, and will produce crops of the finest vegetables, season after season for any length of time. Then again hoeing is of much greater importance than many would suppose. I do not mean that hoeing, that only kills weeds—an excellent thing in its way, to be sure, but it is deep hoeing that is so beneficial to the growing crop, and where it is practised will tell every time. A case in point, a patch of sweet corn, that has been under my notice from the time the seed was sown, was three times deeply hoed during the present summer, and the quantity and quality of the corn is far superior to a similar crop growing within twenty yards of it, which was only flat hoed. Some may ask, how does this deep hoeing benefit plants? It produces fermentation and dews, the ground will then have moisture in it in spite of all drought, which the hard unmoved soil will not. In conclusion, I will say that though the soil be good down to two feet deep, that which is brought to the top in the operation of trenching will not be at once so good for the sustaining of plant life as the soil which has been at the top for a great number of years, but when the new top soil has been well worked and judiciously manured, it will become as good as the old top soil beneath it.

### AGRICULTURAL SHOWS.

The following are the dates, as far as heard from, of the agricultural fairs in Eastern Assiniboia:

Indian Head	September 26th.
South Qu'Appelle	October 3rd.
Grenfell	" 3rd.
Pleasant Forks	" 4th.
Fort Qu'Appelle	" 5th.

### THE WORLD'S WHEAT CROP.

The world's wheat crop of 1894 is 197,000,000 bushels more than in 1893, and 4,000,000 bushels less than the average for the past decade. The world's surplus is placed at about 80,000,000 bushels.

### Qu'Appelle Observatory.

Reading of the thermometer for the week ending Tuesday, Sept. 26, 1894.

	Maximum.	Minimum.
Wednesday, Aug. 29	73	44
Thursday, Aug. 30	82	43
Friday, Aug. 31	89	55
Saturday, Sept. 1	79	51
Sunday, Sept. 2	67	44
Monday, Sept. 3	62	50
Tuesday, Sept. 4	70	42

### WIND DIRECTION AND VELOCITY.

	W.	S.W.	S.	S.E.	E.	N.E.	N.	N.W.	W.
Wednesday	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
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Tuesday	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

### LOCAL MARKET.

Wheat, 40c; very little offering. Oats, 24c; white, 25c; red, 26c. Beans, 30c; per 100 lbs., \$16 per ton. Flour—Hingham, 22; Strong, 23; Baker, \$1.75 per sack of 49 lbs. Beef, per side 5c; porks, 10c; pork, 5c; per 100 lbs., \$8 to 12c; per lb., according to choice. Mutton, 12 to 15c; per lb.; per carcass, 10c. White fish, 6c; for quantities, 5c; per lb. Potatoes, 75c; per bushel, 40c; 12c; per lb. Onions, 4c; for 25c; 12c; 14c to 25c per ton. Butter, 12 to 15c; per lb. Cheese, 15 to 17c; per lb. Eggs, 12c; per dozen.

### MARRIAGE.

BABBITT—GRIEVE.—At the M. E. Church, Qu'Appelle, Indian Head, on Aug. 31st, 1894, by the Rev. G. F. McCullagh, Mr. Charles R. Babbitt, of Qu'Appelle, to Miss Mary S. Grieve, both of Qu'Appelle Station.

### PHOTOGRAPHY.

CLIFFORD BROS. have erected a temporary studio at Indian Head, next to A. J. Osment's Store, where they will remain for the next two or three weeks. Cabinet photos \$5 per dozen. Special attention given to children. All work finished before leaving.

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THE members of the Committee appointed for the revision of the Prize List are requested to meet at 2 o'clock p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 28th, in the Council Chamber, Qu'Appelle.

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For further particulars apply to J. H. BOYCE, Qu'Appelle Station or to SCOTT, HAMILTON & ROBSON, Barristers, 40, Regina.

Dated this 24th day of August, A.D. 1894.

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### STOLEN.

STOLEN from Section 30, Township 16, Range 13, West of 2nd Meridian, on the night of 23rd August, one large dark iron grey Mare, four years old, branded JF on left shoulder. One small bay pony Mare, with the right eye knocked out, aged, branded S on right shoulder.

A reward of \$25 will be paid for the return of the said horses, and the capture of the thief. The name of the thief is unknown; supposed to be about 30 years old, tall and slim, light complexion, short stubby whiskers, had on a cowboy hat, pair of dark overalls, long top boots, a pair of Mexican spurs, riding a large aged bay horse that had formerly been a Police horse, a Mexican saddle. When seen last had a pack on one of the stolen horses, which he was leading.

W. SMITH, Advocate, Qu'Appelle.

## NEW FALL GOODS ARRIVED.

Just now perhaps it will be well to tell you that I have opened this week

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